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Monthly Meeting April 15, 2014

Attendance:

Bastian Oskam (Democratic Seat 4) – Chairman Ralph Drew (Republican Seat 1) –Vice Chairman Sallie Sorohan (Democratic Seat 3) – Board Member Dottie Krull (Republican Seat 2) – Board Member Ashley Peck – Secretary, Elections Supervisor & Chief Registrar

I. Call to order. Mr. Oskam called the meeting to order at 9:10 am.

II. Approval of Previous Minutes

• March 18, 2014

Motion: Mr. Drew made a motion to accept the minutes as written. Ms. Krull seconded the motion. All members approved the motion. The motion carried.

III. Budget

- The Board of Elections reviewed the March 2014 budget.
- The Board of Elections reviewed the proposed 2015 budget.

 Motion: Mr. Drew made a motion to accept the proposed 2015 budget. Ms. Krull seconded the motion.

 All members approved the motion. The motion carried.

IV. Public Hearings - Felons

In accordance with O.C.G.A. § 21-2-228, a hearing was held to determine the eligibility to remain on the electors list of 5 individuals. The 5 individuals were not in attendance.

• *Motion:* Ms. Sorohan made a motion to remove the 5 individuals from the Voter Registration System. Ms. Krull seconded the motion. All members approved the motion.

Resolved, that those 5 individuals are no longer qualified to be registered in Lumpkin County.

V. Training Conference Recap

- The Board of Elections discussed the previous training conference.
- The Board discussed the importance of the Board Members attending these yearly conferences to ensure the Board is familiar with current election policy and procedures.
- The Board discussed current campaigning restrictions near polling places.
- The Board discussed the proper procedures to implement if an election law is being violated.

VI. Election Update:

• Ms. Peck discussed the current status of the upcoming primary election. Ms. Peck informed the Board that all current election deadlines had been met and all election preparations are on schedule.

VII. Upcoming Events:

The following upcoming events were discussed.

a. 4/17: 3T Meeting

b. 4/21: VR Deadline

c. 4/22: Early Voting PW Training 10:00am

- d. 4/24: Early Voting PW Training 10:00am
- e. 4/28: Start of Early Voting

VIII. Next Meeting and Adjournment

The next meeting is scheduled for May 20, 2014 at 9:00 am.

Ms. Krull made a motion to close the meeting. Ms. Sorohan seconded the motion. All members approved the motion. The motion carried.

Mr. Oskam adjourns the meeting at 11:05 am.